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## MOTHER BEATS THREE CHILDREN TO DEATH

(By the Associated Press)  
St. Louis, Mo., April 20.—Mrs. Katherine Skaggs, believing her husband was about to leave her with four children to support, late yesterday bound the hands and feet of their four children, Leo aged nine, Anna May, two, Mary Rose, three and Dora, nine months, stuffed cotton in their mouths and beat the first three to death. Dora is expected to die. Mrs. Skaggs showed no emotion after the crime and was taken to the observation ward of the city hospital. Physicians say her mind is affected.

## LATTA AND HOMER SCHOOLS PLAY BASKETBALL GAME

The News has been handed two reports of the game of basketball between the girls of Latta and Homer schools on the evening of the 12th. One states that the game resulted in a score of 5 to 3 in favor of Latta while the other has it 5 to 3 in favor of Homer. Both reports agree that it was a fine game and well played. However school closed Friday evening with an entertainment following the basketball game in the afternoon.

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# THE BRITISH REGAIN LOST POSITIONS IN FLANDERS

## NEAR LYNCHING AT COLLINSVILLE

PLEA OF POLICE SAVES GERMAN  
TEACHER AFTER BEING  
STRUNG UP.

(By the Associated Press)  
Tulsa, Okla., April 20.—Henry Riemer, accused of disloyal utterances and who narrowly escaped death by hanging at the hands of fifty men at Collinsville, Okla., last night, was brought to Tulsa this morning by U. S. Deputy Marshal Perry and turned over to John J. Moran, marshal for the district. Moran announced that Riemer will be taken to the Muskogee federal jail for safe keeping. Riemer was hung to a basket ball support in the home guard armory but was cut down when the police asked that he be given a hearing. His neck was badly lacerated.

Riemer, who conducted a German school, which was recently closed by order of the council of defense, is said to have declared his hatred for the American flag. The council of defense placed a flag in his window and when it was reported removed he was put under arrest and placed in jail.

The police were overpowered and he was taken out and made to kiss every star in a flag, apologize for utterances and swear new allegiance. Then before he had a chance to change his mind again, he was swung off and was suspended fifteen seconds before the lynchers heeded the plea of the police and let him down almost unconscious.

## NO EARLY FOOD RELIEF FOR GERMANY FROM UKRAINE

New York, April 20.—No essential relief for food conditions in Germany may be expected from Ukraine for the present, said Privy Councillor von Eynern, of the State Food commission, in discussing the food supply situation at a meeting in Berlin, according to the Cologne Gazette of March 21, a copy of which has been received here. Germany, he added, must continue to save and husband food as heretofore.

The importance of supplies that might be available from the Ukraine, Von Eynern declared, is connected with great difficulties and no extensive imports can be counted on before June. Even then the fact must be considered that transportation possibilities by rail will be on a narrow scale and the capacity of the Danube waterway also will be limited.

## 5,000 NAMES ON ALLIED BLACKLIST

(By the Associated Press)  
Washington, April 20.—A revised enemy trading list, containing over 5,000 names and for the first time including enemy firms in neutral European countries, was issued today by the war trade board, in conjunction with great Britain and France to unify allied efforts to keep their products from reaching the enemy. Italy has accepted the list in principle.

## Judge for Yourself

Which is Better—Try an Experiment  
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Experience.

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The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit. But the endorsement of friends is. Now supposing you had a bad back, A lame, weak, or aching one, Would you experiment on it? You will read of many so-called cures.

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## ATTACKS BY GERMANS REPULSED BY BOTH BRITISH AND FRENCH.

(By the Associated Press)  
British troops took the aggressive last night on the southern side of the Lys battle front with quick and decisive results, compelling the Germans to give up portions of the ground in the Givenchy-Festubert sector which they had gained at the expense of costly all day attacks Thursday. The British counter blow resulted in the gain of all objectives south and in complete re-establishment of the British line as it existed before the Germans struck Thursday. The only offensive action by the enemy was in the Robecq region where they were repulsed. In southern sectors held by French heavy artillery the action between Lassigny and Noyon continued.

London, April 20.—Nine machine guns, a trench mortar and some prisoners were taken by the British in local operations yesterday south of the Scarpe river, the war office announced. A German counter attack was repulsed. On the Flanders battle front the British ejected the Germans from a position gained by them in Thursday's attack in Givenchy and Festubert regions. The British gained all objectives in the Flanders counter attack, advancing the defenses at Givenchy and Festubert and re-establishing their positions. In sharp fighting east of Robecq the British drove back German attacking parties.

German Raids Repulsed  
Paris, April 20.—German troops last night launched a raiding operation against the French lines in the Hainaut-Santerre region, south-east of Amiens. The effort was a failure, the war office announced. The French took some prisoners in this action. Artillery has been active along the southern battle line between Lassigny and Noyon.

## FRENCH COMMEND AMBULANCE MEN

(By the Associated Press)  
Washington, April 20.—The official list of individuals and sections of the United States army ambulance service, cited by French army commanders for bravery in action was received today by Surgeon General Gorgas. Forty-two separate citations are noted. In two instances entire sections were commended.

## MASONS—NOTICE.

Tonight at 8 o'clock Ada Lodge No. 119, A. F. & A. M., will meet in regular monthly communication. Lots business to attend to. Come out and see that it is well done.—John Thrasher, W. M.

## THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

I like to dine in grand  
hotels  
With folks of wealth  
or great renown,  
And every now and  
then I do  
When our rich  
uncle comes  
to town.



## WEATHER REPORT.

The weather man says Sunday will likely be a fair day, but it does not take either a weather prophet or new-comer to recognize the fact that unless tonight is cloudy or windy there will be much destruction of gardens by frost. The thermometer has not been much above 40 degrees all day.

## MORE MEN NEEDED AT VLADIVOSTOK

(By the Associated Press)  
London, April 20.—Owing to increased anti-Japanese demonstrations at Vladivostok where Japanese and British marines recently were landed, it has become necessary to arrange for reinforcements, telegraphs the Exchange telegraph correspondent from Tien Tsin.

## RESULTS OF TRACK MEET

PRELIMINARIES FRIDAY AFTER-  
NOON, SOME FINALS FRIDAY  
EVENING, OTHER TODAY.

The preliminaries of the district track meet began Friday afternoon, despite the cold wave, which made things rather uncomfortable. Baseball was first on the schedule and Ada and Calvin crossed bats with the result of a victory for Calvin by the decisive score of 11 to 1.

In the tennis tournament Lindsay defeated Okemah in both singles and doubles, thereby winning a place in the finals.

In basketball the representation was especially good. Every team put up a hard fight. Sasakwa and Holdenville played first and Sasakwa won by a score of 15 to 9. Wewoka and Stonewall followed and Stonewall was the winner by a score of 27 to 4.

A great deal of enthusiasm was manifested by the visiting teams before the opening of the finals in the literary events Friday evening, a spirit of friendly rivalry being manifest on all sides.

The program opened with the singing of America and the Star Spangled banner.

In both the four-part and three-part mixed choruses Henryetta had no opposition.

In the girls reading contests Edwin Hefley of Francis and Ruth Gibson of Ada were the final contestants. The latter won the decision.

In the piano number Eunice McNew of Ada and Miller Brown of Okemah—the last named won the decision.

Arthur Harrison of Stonewall and George Morse of Calvin participated in the boys reading contest. The last named won in this.

Henryetta had no opposition in the girls two-part chorus.

Coalgate, Ada and Henryetta participated in the girls three-part chorus. Ada won the cup. In the Center grade chorus there was no contest, but the small girls gave a splendid exhibition.

This morning in the basketball final Stonewall defeated Sasakwa by a score of 23 to 9 in a well played game.

In the baseball final Calvin was victorious over Holdenville by a score of 6 to 2.

In the grammar school reading contests Stella Maria Tate of Wewoka won first place and Clo Armstrong of Ada second in the girls contest. In the boys' contest Eugene Rose of Okemah was awarded first place and Joe Schaff of Holdenville second.

In tennis finals Lindsay won over Henryetta in both singles.

Other finals are being played this afternoon.

## CANADA PASSED CONSCRIPTION BILL

(By the Associated Press)  
Ottawa, Ont., April 20.—The government man power bill giving the minister of military power to call men to the colors as needed, passed both houses last night. It carried in the Commons by 114 to 65. Immediate calling to the colors of all unmarried men and widowers without children between the ages of twenty and twenty-two, inclusive, will follow.

## MISS CORNELIA SWEET DIES IN CALIFORNIA

Miss Leone Steed received a wire today stating that Miss Cornelia Sweet was dead at Monrovia, Calif. She was the daughter of Rev. G. B. Sweet, at one time pastor of the Methodist church of Ada and was about twenty years of age. She was a young lady highly esteemed by a large number of Ada friends and her early passing is the cause of deep regret.

GOMPERS BRANDS SOCIALISM IN AMERICA GERMAN PROPAGANDA  
Cleveland, Ohio, April 20.—Socialism in America was branded as poisonous German propaganda by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in a speech in behalf of the Liberty loan held this afternoon.

"There is no such thing as an American Socialist party," Mr. Gompers told an audience of 1,500. "The American Socialist organization is merely a branch of the one in Germany—it is part of German propaganda."

## Welcome Visitors

We are very glad to have you in our city for this Sixth Annual District meet, which is an occasion that we all appreciate, and we cordially invite you to come and inspect our merchandise, use our conveniences and give you any information we can.



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Smart Frocks all ready to put on. Be sure you do not overlook these from the famous Cadillac designs. Sizes 12 to 19. Price \$3.50 to \$13.75

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## AMERICAN STEAMER REPORTED SUNK

(By the Associated Press)  
New York, April 20.—The American steamer, Florence H., formerly on the Great Lakes, has been sunk with loss of life near a foreign port, according to information received in shipping circles.

## NEARLY HALF LIBERTY LOAN NOW REPORTED

(By the Associated Press)  
Washington, April 20.—Liberty Loan subscriptions have reached \$1,238,093,950, the treasury department announces.

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

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"Bear a child for the Fatherland," is not any worse than "God will assist us in murdering women and children." It's all pliancy.

William Howard Taft says we are no longer Democrats and Republicans; we are all Americans. Theodore Roosevelt will please take note and guide himself accordingly.

It's about as hard for a political aspirant to get enthusiasm about his shallow boasts of saving the state as it is for a garden to grow in this freezing weather.

If nothing else, this war ought to teach us to keep out a big bunch of foreign anarchists and yellow dogs we have been letting in. We'll have to look upon our country as a father does his home; it is much better to be safe than sorry.

Hindenburg's idea is that he can afford to sacrifice any number of men if he can gain territory. The allied idea is that man power is worth more than territory. In view of the fact that the man power of the allied army is all the time growing

from the arrival of American troops, this looks like a reasonable view. If the Huns can be held in check until the full force of the American army can be thrown into the scale, a few hundred miles of territory will be a small price to pay for the men saved for the final great drive to victory.

When the final peace articles are being discussed, wonder what Germany will claim as her reason for starting this war? First it was England, then America. We presume next she will be fearing invasion from Cuba or some other such aspiring republic.

Although the Russians signed a peace treaty with the Huns some weeks ago, reports continue to arrive from Russia of atrocities committed by the invaders. Evidently the deluded Russians are awakening to the fact that their peace conference did not make an idealist of the Kaiser or change his views on might making right.

German women are laboring in the fields and are thus trying to make the women of every other nation do the same thing. Probably the words "The World Safe for Democracy" may eventually reach them and mean something. When they do, farewell Satanistic William. It will be a hot fire over which you will roast. Judas, George III and such other small criminals will be amused to see you several rungs below them.

The rains have put a fine season in the ground. If we can get a shower now and then through May and June and July it means a wonderful corn crop. It also means plenty of food stuff for this part of the country, all of which promises well. A year of heavy crops and good prices will mean Pontotoc county can buy a million dollars worth of bonds this fall and be glad to get the chance.

There may possibly be something in the reports that Austria is eager for peace and straining at the German leash which now holds her. She has been freed from both the Russian and Italian menace and her remaining in the war now means only the pulling of the Kaiser's chestnuts out of the fire and even though her rulers may be willing to do this it is not likely that the people enjoy this role any too well.

The results of placing the Allied armies under one command and permitting the various national troops to fight as one army are beginning to show. The fact that the German drive has been temporarily checked is proof that Foch knows whereof he fights. It may be that the Allies will

withdraw again, giving up a bit of territory here and a bit there, but this will be because the "greatest strategist in Europe" deems it better to give territory than to give men. How long the drive will go on, we know not, but we have faith in the ability and judgment of the generals at the front.

## GERMAN PROPAGANDA IN SCANDANAVIA

Stockholm, March 20 (Correspondence of the Associated Press).—German propaganda in Sweden and other Scandinavian nations no longer is ill-directed or inefficient, in the opinion of the statesmen of the countries in which it operates. On the contrary, it challenges even unwilling admiration in Sweden for its completeness and effectiveness.

In the early days of the war the Entente powers and America extracted considerable amusement from German methods of propaganda for the reason that they seemed to be based on an almost absolute failure to understand the psychology of the non-Germans.

Undeterred by earlier failures the Germans have kept at work here and have organized a system of propaganda which is regarded as tireless, intelligent and, without a doubt, effective.

The organization centers around three undertakings, all organized by Germans but, in accordance with Swedish law, directed by Swedes. These are the magazine Jorden Rundt, (The World Around), The Picture Central, and the "Polar Star" Biograph.

All three undertakings are housed in the same quarters. The exploits of the German army are graphically illustrated by word, by picture and by cinema films. Gigantic maps, with events kept up almost to the hour, show the progress of the German armies. The newest bulletins are displayed. Visitors are loaded with pamphlets and books, some of them of such character that they form permanent additions to a reference library. Whenever a German soldier does some individual act of kindness a cinema operator is there to record it and the Swedish patrons of the Polar Star have opportunity to admire it.

Two large printing firms turn out vast quantities of pamphlets, with which the Swedes are inundated.

The German legation has trained journalists on its staff, and Baron Lucius, the minister, is himself a keen, wide awake individual, fully alive to the value of printers' ink and alert to seize every opportunity to make propaganda or to explain anything that needs explanation. As an instance of this may be cited the fact that, some weeks ago, when the morning papers published Trotsky's exposure of Germany's attitude toward the Aland Islands, the noon papers of the same day contained a column-long article by Baron Lucius, full of clever casuistry and forming, for the uninitiated reader, a complete answer to Trotsky.

This is but one of scores of similar instances. Lucius' relations to the press—and not merely to the pro-German press—are most in agreement with him or not.

To dam this flood of propaganda the allied powers offer comparatively little. Since America entered the war an effort has been made from Washington to secure adequate publication in Sweden of important speeches by President Wilson and other leaders, and reports of important decisions of different bodies, progress of recruiting, etc. These efforts, and particularly as regards speeches, are foredoomed to failure by the fact that the speeches are cabled too late.

President Wilson's speeches have reached Sweden from two to four days after summaries of them had been received here. No Swedish editor, after having used a 500-word summary will, half a week later, devote much space to the text of the same speech.

### How Your Own Row.

If you are indifferent, if you think hard work beneath you, then you are a hopeless proposition. Influential friends may indeed answer your call and do their utmost to keep you retained in the position you longed to secure, but if you have not developed or tried to develop the "talent" you were so sure you possessed, your time is short in the "big" place, and the quicker you awaken to this fact the better it will be for you and all concerned.

### Habits of Crayfish.

The crayfish may be described as a fresh water lobster, and usually lives a purely aquatic life, keeping to the river bed. Some of the crayfish found in Australia, however, have forsaken the water and excavate burrows in damp soil. The tunnel leading to the heart of the burrow is free from water, but water is always present in the chambers at the end where the crayfish lives. They do much damage to artificial watercourses in the mining districts by riddling the banks and dams.

### All in the Family.

In China every member of a family is responsible for order in that family and every inhabitant of a city is jointly responsible with every other citizen for its tranquility. If a younger son in a family should commit a crime, the older son is likely to be taken into custody for the offense, and, perhaps, punished.

Your liberality in buying War Savings Stamps indicate that you are helping the boys "over there" on to Berlin.

## ARMY WANTS SKILLED MEN

MEN OF DRAFT AGE MAY CHOOSE FROM MANY LINES OF SERVICE NOW.

The county exemption board is in receipt of a call for men for various lines of mechanical work needed in the army and any man within draft age desiring to volunteer for anything in the list may do so by the 25th. All such will be listed at the time but will not be called until the applications have been approved at headquarters. Following is the list of occupations for which men are wanted:

Air-brake inspectors, angle-iron smiths, auto mechanics and inspectors, bargemen or boatmen, blacksmiths and helpers, boatbuilders and helpers, boiler makers and helpers, brakemen, flagmen or conductors (railroad) bricklayers, buglers, carpenters and helpers, joiners or pattern makers, caulkers (wood) chauffeurs, chemists, clerks (railroad or general) cobblers, commissary storekeepers, concrete foremen or workers, cooks, cranemen, joist men, pile drivers or shovel operators, crusher operators, dispatchers (engine), draftsmen, engineers (civil, electrical, railroad or computing), engineers and firemen (locomotive), electricians, floor hands (ship yards), foremen construction (bridge, building, earth work, ship or railroad) foremen (gyratory or jaw crusher), gas plant workers, gunsmiths or operatives in gun factories, hostlers locomotive, inspectors car (railroad), inspectors (locomotive), instrument makers and repair men (engineering, optical or electrical) line men, machinists and helpers, mechanics, meteorologists or physicists, mine or quarry worker and helpers, drill runners, foremen, powdermen or pumpmen, motorcyclists, molders, painters, photographers, plumbers or pipe fitters, rangers (forest) car repairmen, riggers, saddlers or harness makers, sailmakers, tent makers or other canvas workers, section hands (railroad), steersmen, sheet iron workers and helpers, soldiers or tin-smiths, stenographers, surveyors, level men, transitmen (topographical or railroad), tailors, teamsters, telegraph operators, telephone operators, timber cruisers, telephone operators who can speak German, wagon makers, welders (acetylene or oxyacetylene), wireless operators, yardmasters or switchmen.

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## GERMANS DUE FOR RUDE AWAKENING

Behind the British Lines in France, March 19.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press).—The Germans are in for a rude awakening if they are sincere in discounting the American army in France, in the opinion of F. M. Cutlack, assistant official correspondent with the Australian Imperial Force here.

"The Americans," he asserted, "have a spirit for which the Kaiser would sacrifice a good half of his troops today." Returning from a visit to the American forces Mr. Cutlack wrote:

"The dominant fact in the arrival of the United States army is the huge bulk of it. It is new—new as paint—and keen as a racehorse in training—or rather a whole paddockful of racehorses. The world will probably not have the chance again of seeing such a spectacle of amateur warlike earnestness, for the Americans are learning very fast.

"It saw something of the same sort when the Australian War Army began long ago in 1914—the same light-hearted enthusiasm, the same rich raw quality all untrained and inexperienced, the same outpouring of the very best of a whole country in an emotion of national pride, counting neither cost nor returns. The Americans are not soldiers yet, and no people realize better than themselves how much they have still to do to make themselves soldiers, but they will be a great and powerful army in probably shorter time than they reckon upon.

"They are learning the art of fighting from the best soldiers of France and Britain, and many of their officers as attaches of one sort or another have seen a lot of this war from the German and Turkish side as well. We found a Major who had watched the Gallipoli campaign from the top of Battleship Hill and was in the confidence of Liman von Sanders and the Turkish Pashas. He has therefore a particularly warm regard for the Australians.

We went up to see the American line in Lorraine. In their khaki and round, tin hats among the Lorraine hills they look and act very much like our own men; indeed they might be our own fellows. They have the same sturdy, self-reliant look. They spread themselves over country in the fashion of men accustomed to vast spaces. They walk with the same easy, free-limbed carriage. Their discipline, like ours is a thing which force could never impose or maintain, but is rather contributed voluntarily to a common good in violation of temperament and upbringing.

"Against these men, as against the men of the British empire, the Germans have no chance."

Everybody is invited to attend the tea given by the Methodist Missionary Society for the benefit of the Red Cross, at the home of Jack Moore on Monday, April 22, both afternoon and evening. Don't fail to meet the distinguished guests, Mr. and Mrs. Smiley, Mr. and Mrs. Giggles, Mr. and Mrs. Grim and numerous other well known persons.

A rare program of music will be given. Come and enjoy yourselves and let others enjoy you.

Refreshments Served. 11  
Old papers for sale at 5 cents per bundle at News Office.

## GUNS FOR HOME GUARDS ARRIVE

The guns recently ordered by the county commissioners to be loaned to the home guards, have arrived and will be put to use at once and the guards taught the manual of arms. The guns are 30-30 winchesters, selected with a view to effective service, should the home guard be called out to quell any disturbance.

### Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

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## DESIRABLE OCCUPATION

We are moving to our new office and our vacation season begins soon. We are going to start a class in telephone operating with Miss Minnie Nelms, instructress in charge. The work is very interesting and the working conditions are favorable. We pay \$6.00 per week (of six days) during the four weeks' training period. A substantial increase is given at the end of this period, and it increases thereafter. Come up and talk with Miss Ethel Nelms, Chief Operator, about opportunities. The Southwest Bell Telephone Co. 4-12-17

Garage Closes.  
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## "The Boy Problem"

AT THE

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Special Services for Gardeners  
London, March 18. Correspondence of The Associated Press.—Many clergymen in English towns now hold a special morning service on Sunday for men who spend their Sundays in their vegetable gardens. The service lasts only fifteen minutes, is held at 9 a. m., and the workers are specifically invited to come in their working clothes.

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I am forced to place my garage on a strictly cash basis. I have only first class A-1 mechanics. I have cut out all helpers. It costs money to pay these men, buy parts, and materials. So please bring along the money. I thank you.—Grant Irwin Garage. 4-19-6t

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## Churches

### Second Baptist Church.

W. B. M. S. will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30. We will have our Bible study with Mrs. Scarbrough as leader. We are glad to announce that our pastor, Bro. Bailey, will be with us Monday afternoon and help us with our Bible study. We have a good society and let us insist that each member come and bring some one with you. All are welcome.

### First Baptist Church.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
B. Y. P. U. 6:45 p. m.  
Sermon 8:15 p. m.  
There will be no preaching at the 11 o'clock hour.  
Rev. R. L. Estes, state evangelist of the Baptist State Convention will fill the pulpit at the evening hour. The choir will furnish special music. Everybody is invited to attend.

### St. Luke's Episcopal Church.

190 E. 14th St., Rev. Franklin Davis, Rector.  
Special services may be expected in this church tomorrow at the morning services.

Morning prayer and address at 11 a. m.

Subject: "Anglo-Saxon Culture," by Judge C. E. Cutler.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

We here much these days about that detestable Kultur of the Germans. Come, now and hear a splen-

did address on that opposite, which is to supercede in the passing of the beast and the coming of man in the progress of the race. Right will prevail, not solely because it is right, but because right is the only far-sighted efficiency in a divinely ordered universe. This is a message for our times—a needed one—lead us your encouragement as patriotic Americans. Remember the little church of aroused Americanism.

### Junior Missionary Society.

Sunday April 21 at 9 a. m.  
Topic—Chosen (Korea) Our Special.

Leader—Lady Percy Shaw.

Song.

Bible lesson.

Prayer Circle—For the people and missionaries of Chosen.

Reading of the minutes.

Roll Call—Answered by names of missionaries in Chosen.

Spirit worship in Chosen—Louise Meaders.

A Korean Baby—Lucile Chapman.

The Orphan Boy—Annie Louise Shaw.

The Little Slave Girl—Marvin Brydia.

The Blind Girl—Eva Laverne Lasater.

Some Interesting Things About Korea.

Missionary Catechism.

Announcements.

Benediction.

### Methodist Notices.

We'll be looking for you at Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. next Sunday and both of us will miss something

If you fail to be present. The young people of the church have a devotional hour at 7:30 p. m. and there will be a cordial welcome to all.

The morning sermon will deal with "The World-War and the Kingdom of Heaven." Let every Christian be a patriot and every patriot a genuine Christian.

"The Boy Problem" will be discussed at this evening meeting, and the pastor will tell the story of some boys he has caught. It may not be generally known that he has been Judge of a juvenile court, but he has. He was a pioneer in that field and may have a message for parents and teachers worth while. Come and see.—Wallace M. Crutchfield, Pastor.

### Housewives League Program.

Oklahoma Day.

Short sketch of the history of Oklahoma—Mrs. C. O. Barton.

Agricultural products, natural resources, manufacturing industries, animal wealth, and engineering achievements of Oklahoma.—Mrs. J. A. Biles.

Schools and colleges of Oklahoma—Mrs. J. B. Hill.

What Oklahoma women can do to help the greater Oklahoma.—Mrs. Malcolm Smith.

Oklahoma's place in federated club work—Mrs. Tom Hope.

### First Presbyterian Church.

Corner S. Broadway and E. 14th.

Junior Christian Endeavor at 9 a. m.

Miss Bernice Roach, Supt.

Intermediate Christian Endeavor at 9 a. m.

Miss Mollie Russell, Supt.

The following program will be given:

Subject, "Hallowed Be Thy Name"

Prelude—Wilma Chilcutt.

Song Service.

Pledge Song.

Scripture reading.

Prayer circle.

How Do People Take God's Name in Vain—Clarence Fischbeck.

How Can We Show Our Respect to God—Annie Mae Moore.

How Can We Show Our Respect for God's House?—Violet Knight.

Discussion—George Bowman, Wilson Chilcutt, Jeanette Bobbitt, Carl Zorn.

Mizpah.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Prof. Gordon, Supt.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock with sermon on "A God-Made Man."

Evening service at 8 o'clock. Subject of sermon "The Lamp of the Lord."

Special music in both services.

Mrs. Norrell will sing in both the morning and evening services and at the evening hour the choir will render an anthem.

Missionary Society Monday at 3 p. m. continuing the study of "An African Trail."

Worker's Conference Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Prayer service Wednesday at 8:15 p. m.

There is always a cordial invitation to all to attend the services of the friendly church. There's a comfortable pew and a hearty welcome for you here and we are always glad to help you with our worship. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good." We are looking for you to come and expect you.—George Wesley Beck, Minister. Residence 107 E. 14th. Telephone 232.

Second Baptist Church B. Y. P. U. Group No. 1.

Subject—What is wrong with the world? How did it get into this fix? Is there any way out?

Leader—Augustine Johnson.

Song No. 56.

Scripture Reading—Romans 3-10.

18—Delphine Carr.

Introduction and Symptoms—Leader.

Spurious Answers—Mrs. Snead.

What Real Trouble Is—Savanna Keithley.

The Remedy for a Sin Sick World—Mrs. Goforth.

Vocal Solo—Hazel West.

What Shall We Do?—Mattie Lawrence.

Work—Nina Collins.

The Path to Christian Heroism—Mabel Clark.

We extend a welcome to all.

### Second Baptist Church.

Sunday school at 9:45.

Preaching 11 a. m.

B. Y. P. U. 6:45.

Preaching 7:45 p. m.

The door of this church is open to all and a hearty welcome will be extended to all.

Come, and you will not be disappointed.

First Christian Church

Morning communion and sermon at 11 o'clock.

Another of One of the Great Issues of Today.

Evening service 8 o'clock.

"The Wonders of a 'Few Days in Texas'."

Bible School 9:45.

Junior C. E. 6:00.

Intermediate C. E. 6:45.

Y. S. P. C. E. 6:45.

C. B. JAMES, Pastor.

Y. P. S. C. E. at Christian Church

Leader—Mary Waggoner.

Subject: "How and What We Read."

Song.

Prayer.

Business.

Scripture lesson, Phil. 4:8. 1 Tim. 4:13.

Piano Solo—Dorothy Waggoner.

"Our Physical and Spiritual Being"—Oscar Parker.

"Why Should Our Reading Be Carefully Chosen"—Carrie Roach.

"Why Should We Force Ourselves to Do Serious Reading"—Florence Cartwright.

"What Advantages Come from Slow and Thoughtful Reading"—Jack Davis.

"How Does Reading Matter Affect Our Minds?"—Mrs. Nora Foster.

"What Is the Value of Bible Reading?"—Rev. C. B. James.

Judge Chaney at Christian Church.

Judge A. C. Chaney will address the people at the Christian church Sunday night at the 8 o'clock hour.

Judge Chaney made a special trip to

his old home state, to be present at the funeral of Old John Barleycorn, that he might be sure that the Old was buried good and deep.

He also seized opportunity by the forelock and witnessed the Grand Review of 27,000 of our soldier boys at Fort Worth and best of all, paid a visit to his mother. He thinks that the death of John Barleycorn in Texas alone, is very significant, and places its importance second only to that of Kaiser Bill in winning a speedy victory for Democracy and Humanity.

You cannot afford to miss hearing Judge Chaney at 8 o'clock Sunday night.

Our music is as good as the best.

CLIFFORD B. JAMES, Pastor.

### B. Y. P. U.

Subject, "What's Wrong with the World."

Scripture reading—Romans 3:10-18.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. Bowd.

Leader—Wilma Eschman.

Introduction—Leader.

Spurious Answers—Fannie McKinney.

"What the Real Trouble Is"—Velma Allred.

"The Remedy for a Sin-Sick World"—Jesse Hale.

"What Shall We Do?"—James O. Vernon.

Piano Solo—Eva Laverne Lasater.

Come and join the B. Y. P. U. army.

There will be a Red Cross benefit at the residence of W. E. Moore, Monday from 3 to 5 and 8 to 10 p. m., under the auspices of the Women's Missionary society of the Methodist church. Everybody invited. A free-will offering will be taken. An interesting musical program. Refreshments. 4-19-2t.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

DISTRICT AND COUNTY  
The News is authorized to announce the following gentlemen as candidates for the respective offices named, subject to the Democratic Primary:

For District Judge:

ARDEN L. BULLOCK.

For County Attorney:

WAYNE WADLINGTON.

For County Treasurer:

D. W. SWAFFAR

For Sheriff:

BOB DUNCAN (reelection)

For County Tax Assessor:

NICK HEARD (Re-election)

For County Clerk:

MILTON GARNER

For County Weigher:

O. J. LEE (Re-election).

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For County Judge:

OREL BUSBY (Re-election)

J. O. COWART

For Co. Commissioner, 1st District:

W. H. BRUMLEY (Re-Elec.)

For County Commissioner (2nd Dist):

R. L. MOSS

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## HOCH! DER KAISER!

These verses were recited and became famous at a Union League Club dinner in New York to some naval officers on April 21, 1899. It took three years to quiet the international vibrations that were put in motion, and the naval officer who recited them had a very hard time explaining to his superiors that he meant no disrespect to the Kaiser.

Der Kaiser of dis Fatherland  
Und Gott on high all dings command,  
Ve two—ach! Don't you understand,  
Myself—and Gott!

Vile some men sing der power divine  
Mine soldiers sing "Die Wacht am Rhein,"  
Und drink der health in a Rheinish wine  
Of Me—and Gott!

Dere's France, she swaggers all around,  
She's ausgespielt,  
To much me think she don't amount;  
Myself—and Gott!

She will not dare to fight again,  
But if she should, I'll show her blain  
Dot Elsass and (in French) Lorraine  
Are Mein—and Gott!

Dere's grandma dinks she is nicht small beer,  
Midt Boers und such she interfere;  
She'll learn none owns dis hemisphere  
But Me—and Gott!

She dinks, kood frau, some ships she's got,  
Und soldiers midt der scarlet goat.  
Ach! We could knock dem! Pout! Like dot,  
Myself—midt Gott!

In dimes of peace brebare for wars,  
I bear der spear und helm of Mars,  
Und care not den thousand Czars,  
Myself—midt Gott!

In fact, I humor eery vhim,  
With aspect dark und visage grim;  
Gott pulls mit Me und I mit him,  
Myself—and Gott!

## WANT ADS

## "FOLLIES MILITAIRE" AT MAJESTIC MONDAY

### LOST

LOST—Pair of gold rimmed glasses.  
Return to News office. 4-20-11

LOST—Two one dollar bills, on  
Townsend between Main and 16th.  
Return to News office and receive re-  
ward.

LOST—Blue handbag, containing 50  
cents and diamond ring. Engraved in  
ring was J. W. to C. J. Return to  
News office. Reward. 4-20-11

LOST—A pair of gray kid gloves in  
normal building Friday night. Re-  
turn to Coley at Laughlin & Coley's  
grocery and receive reward. 4-20-11

LOST—In Liberty theater, small  
leather purse containing \$5.00 coin,  
three \$1.00 bills, small change, two  
receipts, two keys. Railroad pass  
on Santa Fe signed by Mrs. J. L.  
Johnson of Chicago. Liberal reward.  
News office. 4-20-11

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FOUND—Pair of mud chains. Call at  
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WANTED—Your cleaning and press-  
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4-15-11

WANTED—Housekeeper, must be  
neat and clean. Phone 660 or apply  
at 518 E. 13th. 3-29-11

WANTED—Man or woman with  
some experience to work at the coun-  
ty clerk's office. Call for Mr. An-  
derson. 4-20-11

WANTED—Second hand meal and  
cake bags. Will pay ten cents each  
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FOR SALE—Ford roadster, in good  
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FOR SALE—Regular oil maps of the  
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3-22-11

FOR SALE—100 shares of Miami-  
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cated 1 mile west and 1 mile south  
of Roff. Price \$75 per acre. Must be  
sold quick.—J. G. Witherspoon.  
4-20-11

FOR SALE—Overland car, bargain  
for cash, or will trade for good lots  
in Ada. See me if you want a good  
car cheap. Robert H. Gregory, Co.  
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4-19-11

(Terrell Transcript, Mar. 19, 1918.)  
Bringing stories of success along  
the way, the members of the Follies  
Militaire troupe, consisting of former  
big vaudeville stars now in the army,  
assisted by the talented society girls  
of San Antonio will be at the Majes-  
tic Monday.

**The Troupe and Its Mission.**  
The Follies Militaire Troupe is  
touring Texas and Oklahoma, in the  
interests of a great, original specta-  
cular war opera from the pen of Mrs.  
S. H. Matlock, of San Antonio. When  
she finished this mammoth literary  
work, Mrs. Matlock took it to Major-  
General John W. Ruckman, com-  
manding the southern department, and  
he promptly placed his stamp of  
approval on it, declaring its produc-  
tion will do much to arouse the na-  
tion to the necessity of concentrated  
action against Kaiserism. But there  
were no funds available for the pro-  
per staging of the big battle scenes in  
the opera. So Mrs. Matlock hit upon  
the plan of escorting a troupe of va-  
udeville performers on tour, with a  
view to raising the necessary funds.  
Major-General Ruckman unhesitat-  
ingly allowed her to select from the  
soldiers of Kelly Field those who had  
been on the professional stage, prior  
to their enlistment in the aviation  
section of the army. And, to these  
she added a chorus of pretty San An-  
tonio girls who have made frequent  
appearances in public. An extended  
tour of Texas and Oklahoma cities  
was arranged, and two weeks ago  
the khaki-clad actors and their fair-  
stage-partners boarded a special car  
at San Antonio, marking the begin-  
ning of a trip that will keep them on  
the road for six weeks more.

**Eight Acts of Vaudeville.**  
The program consists of eight acts  
of vaudeville, varying in nature from  
musical comedy to drama. It opens  
with a series of living statues, posed  
by Harry A. McLaughlin, known on  
the professional stage as "The Modern  
Apollo."

In this act McLaughlin is assisted  
by Elizabeth Carnahan, Mary Knott  
and Ruth Matlock.

**Song Revue de Luxe.**  
One of the big features of the bill  
is an elaborate "Song Revue de Luxe,"  
in which Jimmy Holmes and a bevy  
of beauties introduce a number of the  
latest Broadway musical hits. These  
include "In 'San Domingo," "My  
Seelie," "The Modern Maiden's  
Prayer," "Busy Bee," "Mississippi,"  
and "The Girl on the Magazine." An  
added feature of this act is the ap-  
pearance of Ruth Russell Matlock,  
famed throughout the south as the  
child prodigy whom Anna Pavlova  
pronounced the most promising of  
America's younger generation of  
child dancers.

**"The Jewitted States."**  
The comedy of the bill is supplied  
by "Mandie" Kay and Henry Steiner,  
who, billed as "Emil and Abe of the  
Jewitted States," created a sensation  
on the Orpheum circuit for several  
seasons before they donned the khaki  
and Steiner have been convuls-  
ing with laughter their audiences all  
along the route, and promise to give  
quick rout to the blues tonight.

**Famous Kelly Field Orchestra.**  
Another of the most popular num-  
bers on the bill is that contributed  
by the Famous Kelly Field orchestra.  
This is made up of the picked mus-  
icians of the big aviation field and is  
accompanying the players, under the  
direction of Edward A. Hallaway.  
For genuine jazz music, this combina-  
tion is declared to be unbeatable,  
and on each of its appearances it has  
been called upon for several encores.

**Young Ladies in the Cast.**  
The girls of the organization in-  
clude Nora Deussen, Elizabeth Carnah-  
an, Mary Knott, Edith Chabot, Mar-  
jorie Shannon, Hortense Goldstein,  
Alice Littlepage, Ruth Matlock, Mil-  
dred Holmes, Gertrude Kaleyter,  
Alice Adams, Peggy O'Connell, Jean  
Crosby, Irma McDonald, Grace Ger-  
shon and Hazel Page.

Remember the special services at  
the Episcopal church tomorrow. Sub-  
ject: "Anglo-Saxon Culture." Speak-  
er, Judge Cutler. 11

## ALLIES DEMAND MORE CEREALS

American Meat Restrictions Re-  
laxed to Effect Greater  
Wheat Savings.

### ARGENTINE ARRIVALS SHORT.

Meat Supply Here Considerably En-  
larged — Food Administration,  
However, Warns Against  
Waste.

The allies have made further and  
increased demands for breadstuffs,  
these enlarged demands being caused  
to some degree by shortage in arrivals  
from the Argentine. It is, therefore,  
necessary for the U. S. Food Adminis-  
tration to urge a still further reduction  
in the consumption of bread and bread-  
stuffs generally if we are to meet our  
export necessities. The Food Adminis-  
tration has issued a statement ex-  
plaining the situation in detail, particu-  
larly the reasons which lead it, for  
the purpose of centering effort for the  
time being upon the cereal situation  
to relax temporarily the restrictions on  
meat consumption.

Experience shows, this statement  
says, that the consumption of bread-  
stuffs is intimately associated with the  
consumption of meat. For various  
reasons our supplies of meat for the  
next two or three months are consid-  
erably enlarged, and we can supply the  
allies with all of the meat products  
which transportation facilities render  
possible and at the same time some-  
what increase our own consumption.  
In these circumstances the Food Ad-  
ministration considers it wise to relax  
the voluntary restrictions on meat con-  
sumption to some extent with a view  
to further decreasing bread consump-  
tion.

Conservation of food must be ad-  
justed to meet necessities from time to  
time, for neither production, nor al-  
lied demands are constant factors, nor  
can any of these factors be anticipated  
for long periods in advance in the dis-  
turbed conditions in which we at pres-  
ent live. While the meat situation is  
not one that warrants any relaxation  
in the efforts to eliminate waste or to  
relax economy in food, the Adminis-  
tration desires to secure better adjust-  
ment in food balances.

So long as the present conditions  
continue the only special restrictions  
we ask are the beefless and porkless  
Tuesday.

The meatless meal and the porkless  
Saturday are no longer asked.

The farmers of the United States  
are responding to the national call to  
increase hog production. Their in-  
crease, to all appearances, is being at-  
tained more rapidly. Of more im-  
mediate importance, however, are several  
complex factors which have effected  
an immediate increase in meat sup-  
plies.

The transportation shortage before  
the government took over the rail-  
roads, the bad weather in January and  
early in February, the large percent-  
age of immature corn in the last har-  
vest and the necessity of feeding this  
corn as rapidly as possible to save it  
from decay, have not only resulted in  
lack of the animals—particularly  
hogs—on the farms for a longer pe-  
riod of feeding, but have resulted in a  
great increase in their average weight  
and will result, with improved trans-  
portation conditions, which already ap-  
pear, in larger than normal arrivals at  
market for the next two or three  
months. The weight of hogs coming  
to the market for the past two weeks  
indicates an increase in weight of  
from an average of 203 pounds last  
year to the almost unprecedented  
average of 232 pounds, or a net in-  
crease in their meat value of over 15  
per cent. This is a distinct addition  
to the nation's meat supply. It there-  
fore now seems certain that we have  
such enlarged supplies for at least  
some months to come, that we can not  
only increase our exports to the allies  
to the full extent of their transporta-  
tion facilities, but at the same time  
can properly increase our domestic  
consumption.

The response of the public to our re-  
quests for reduced consumption of  
meat during the past few months has  
been most gratifying, and this service  
alone has enabled the government dur-  
ing this period to provide such sup-  
plies as transportation to the allies  
permitted.

The Administration also suggests  
that in those parts of the country  
where the old fashioned home preser-  
vation of pork is still the custom, this  
practice should be extended at the  
present time, as it will relieve the bur-  
den upon transportation to and from  
the packing houses and is economi-  
cally sound as saving the cost of packing  
operations and at the same time will  
provide home supplies of pork to last  
over the months of decreased supplies.

The Food Administration desires to  
repeat that it does not want to give  
the impression that these are times  
when simplicity and moderation of liv-  
ing are not critically necessary, but  
that its sole desire is to secure an ad-  
justment between our different food  
supplies and meet changing conditions  
from time to time and to keep the pub-  
lic fully and frankly advised of its  
position with the full confidence and  
reliance that whenever it becomes ne-  
cessary renewed appeals for saving will  
meet the same loyal response as in the  
past.

## City News

Get it at Gwin & Mays.  
See Warren and See Better.  
Have your Photo made at West's.

George Burris and wife were Ada  
visitors this morning.  
All vegetable plants cash.—Ada  
Greenhouse. 3-29-11  
Here the Christian Quartet at Mrs.  
Moore's Monday evening. 4-20-11  
Miss Sybil Harwell of Coalgate is  
the guest of Mrs. M. C. Grigsby.  
Get your auto tops water proofed.  
Ada Auto Top Works. 4-16-11  
Mrs. E. E. Matthews of Enid is vis-  
iting her son, Murrell Matthews and  
family.

I. T. Harrell, who now lives at  
Foster, Stephens county, was in the  
city today.  
Don't fail to hear Judge C. E. B.  
Cutler at the Episcopal church to-  
morrow.

A. L. Moses has returned from  
Springfield, Tex., where he has been  
visiting his son Norton Moses.

Come and meet the distinguished  
guests that will be here for the Red  
Cross tea Monday from 3 to 5 and 8  
to 10 o'clock at Mrs. Moore's. 1-20-11  
There will be a nice program both  
afternoon and evening at  
Moore's Monday. 1-20-11

Mrs. W. H. Ellis, who visited her  
sister, Mrs. J. D. Lasater, returned  
to her home at Sulphur Springs,  
Tex., this morning.

Mrs. Rob Murchison and daughter,  
Miss Rena, of St. Louis, are visiting  
Mrs. Murchison's sister, Mrs. John  
McKinley.

J. W. Brown returned Friday night  
from a business trip to Detroit,  
Michigan. He states that he will have  
two cars of Buicks here soon.

Anglo-Saxon Culture vs. the Ger-  
man brand of Kultur will be the  
theme of Judge Cutler at the Episco-  
pal church tomorrow.

H. M. Carl, formerly a citizen of  
Ada, who is now auditor for the Bell  
Telephone Co., was in Ada today en-  
route to his home at Chickasha.

Look! One of the best businesses  
in Ada for sale. Will invoice. Own-  
er of other business. Call 549. C.  
H. Kuykendall. 4-15-11

Mrs. S. W. Robnett, who visited  
her sisters, Mmes. E. C. Hunter and  
H. D. Johnson, returned to her home  
at Huntsville, Tex., this morning.

Floyd Jordan, Paul Fuller and  
Wallace Hensley left yesterday for  
Kansas City where they will take a  
course in the Sweeney Automobile  
school.

D. H. Robb reports seeing four  
wolves devouring the carcass of a  
calf as he walked in from Byrd's Mill  
Friday night, but as he did not have  
his dogs with him the wolves got  
away.

H. R. Snyder, thinking he was com-  
ing to the sunny south, left his over-  
coat in Indiana when he left there a  
few days ago, but today decided that  
Indiana weather can sometimes reach  
even to Oklahoma.

Mrs. S. J. Philpott left this after-  
noon for Boynton where the family  
will make their home as soon as Mr.  
Philpott's school at Center closes. He  
has accepted the superintendency of  
the Boynton school for next year.

John McKee and Corporals Boone  
Jones and Jas. C. Brown, and others,  
whose names were not learned, are  
in from Camp Bowie on short leaves  
of absence.

P. C. Sims and Prof. E. A. MacMil-  
lan returned Friday evening from  
Enid where they attended the meet-  
ings of the Grand Commandery,  
Grand Council and Grand Chapter of  
the Masonic bodies named.

The laundry is closed down on ac-  
count of the muddy water. Work is  
being shipped to McAlester, but the  
prices will not be affected. Would ap-  
preciate very much your having your  
bundles ready early each week, so  
we can get them back as early as  
possible.—Ada Steam Laundry Co.  
4-17-11

H. A. Fairchilds insists that he  
was painfully injured a few nights  
ago. He forgot to put on his mud  
chairs before taking a bath, and  
skidded in getting out of the tub. He  
has recovered now and is going about  
his business as usual.

W. R. Riddle states that the sub-  
scriptions to the Liberty Loan in  
Union Valley district totaled \$4,200  
and that \$300 more was subscribed  
by men in that district to one adjoin-  
ing, which really made \$4,500 for  
the district. The quota was \$3,500.

The News is informed that the  
Haskell school district subscribed \$3-  
100 to the Liberty Loan. When the  
report published a few days ago was  
made by the county committee the  
full amount had not been turned in  
and the district was credited with  
only \$1,600.

There will be a Red Cross benefit  
at the residence of W. E. Moore, Mon-  
day from 3 to 5 and 8 to 10 p. m.,  
under the auspices of the Women's  
Missionary society of the Methodist  
church. Everybody invited. A free-  
will offering will be taken. An in-  
teresting musical program. Refresh-  
ments. 4-19-11

Prof. Morris will give an organ  
concert Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock  
at the First Methodist church. Every  
one invited. Admission free. A free-  
will offering will be taken for the  
Red Cross. Prof. Morris, will be kind-  
ly assisted by the Morris Violin Quar-  
tet and by Violet Moore, Reader.  
4-20-11

Lauren Sears, son of Prof. R. G.  
Sears, left yesterday for Denver,  
Colorado, where he is employed by  
the Western Union telegraph com-  
pany. The young man went to work  
for the Western Union at Oklahoma  
City less than a year ago, has already  
had five increases in salary and is  
now transferred to Denver where he  
will be a responsible position. He is  
yet but 17 years of age and at-  
tended school at the Ada normal.

**Expensive Gold Fish.**  
The rarest and most expensive gold  
fish in the world is the Chinese brush-  
tail, a pair of which sell for \$1,500.  
Probably there is no other living thing  
of its size and weight that is worth  
so much money.

**Let a Want Ad get it for you.**

## GROGERS HELP IN 50-50 PLAN

SIGN PLEDGE TO CARRY OUT  
FOOD ADMINISTRATION  
PROGRAM.

### POST CARDS IN STORES.

Explain New Wheat Ruling to  
Thousands of Customers—In-  
sures Greater Food Saving.

Grocers of the nation have accepted  
enthusiastically the 50-50 basis for the  
purchase of wheat flour and are doing  
their utmost to explain the new regu-  
lation to the housewife. This ruling by  
the U. S. Food Administration requires  
each purchaser of wheat flour to buy  
one pound of cereal substitute, one  
kind or assorted, for every pound of  
wheat flour. It was necessary to re-  
strict the use of wheat flour in order  
that the allies and our fighting forces  
abroad might be assured of an ade-  
quate supply of wheat to meet their  
vital needs. This supply must come  
from our savings because we have al-  
ready sent our normal surplus.

Wheat saving pledge cards were for-  
warded by the Food Administration to  
all retail food merchants, and these  
are being signed and posted in stores  
throughout the country. This card  
states, "We pledge ourselves loyally to  
carry out the Food Administration pro-  
gram. In accordance with this order  
we will not sell any wheat flour except  
where the purchaser buys an equal  
weight of one or more of the following,  
a greater use of which in the home  
will save wheat:

"Cornmeal, corn flour, edible corn  
starch, hominy, corn grits, barley flour,  
potato flour, sweet potato flour, soy  
bean flour, sorghum flour and meals,  
rice, rice flour, oatmeal, rolled oats and  
buckwheat flour."

Some confusion has resulted on the  
part of the consumer in construing  
this "50-50" ruling to mean that an  
equal amount in value of substitutes  
must be purchased with wheat flour.  
This is a mistaken idea. The ruling  
states that the consumer in purchasing  
flour shall "buy at the same time an  
equal weight of other cereals."

One exception to this ruling is con-  
cerning graham flour and whole wheat  
flour, which may be sold at the ratio  
of three pounds to five pounds of  
wheat flour. This provision is made  
because approximately 25 per cent.  
more of the wheat berry is used in the  
manufacture of these flours than stand-  
ard wheat flour.

Another exception is that concern-  
ing mixed flours containing less than  
50 per cent. of wheat flour, which may  
be sold without substitutes. Retailers,  
however, are forbidden to sell mixed  
flours containing more than 50 per  
cent. of wheat flour to any person un-  
less the amount of wheat flour substitu-  
tes sold is sufficient to make the to-  
tal amount of substitutes, including  
those mixed in flours, equal to the to-  
tal amount in wheat flour in the mixed  
flour. For instance, if any mixed flour  
is purchased containing 60 per cent.  
wheat flour and 40 per cent. substitu-  
tes it is necessary that an additional  
20 per cent. of substitutes be pur-  
chased. This brings it to the basis of  
one pound of substitutes for each  
pound of wheat flour.

A special exemption may be granted  
upon application in the case of spec-  
ially prepared infants' and invalids' food  
containing flour where the necessity is  
shown.

Some misunderstanding seems to ex-  
ist on the part of consumers in assum-  
ing that with the purchase of wheat  
flour one must confine the additional  
50 per cent. purchase to one of the  
substitutes. This is not the case. One  
may select from the entire range of  
substitutes a sufficient amount of each  
to bring the total weight of all substitu-  
tes equal to the weight of the wheat  
flour purchased. For instance, if a  
purchase of 24 pounds of wheat flour  
is made a range of substitutes may be  
selected as follows:

Cornmeal, 8 pounds; corn grits, 4  
pounds; rice, 4 pounds; buckwheat, 2  
pounds; corn starch, 1 pound; hominy,  
2 pounds; rolled oats, 3 pounds.

These substitutes may be used in  
the following manner:

Cornmeal, 8 Pounds.—Corn bread, no  
flour; corn muffins or spoon bread,  
one-fourth flour or one-third rice or  
one-third hominy; 20 per cent. substi-  
tutes in whole bread.

Corn Starch, 1 Pound.—Thickening  
gravy, making custard, one-third sub-  
stitute in cake.

Corn Grits, 4 Pounds.—Fried like  
mush, used with meal in making corn  
bread.

Rolls Oats, 3 Pounds.—One-fourth  
to one-third substitutes in bread, one-  
half substitute in muffins; breakfast  
porridge, use freely; oatmeal cookies,  
oatmeal soup.

Buckwheat Flour, 2 Pounds.—One-  
fourth substitute in bread, buckwheat  
cakes.

Hominy, 2 Pounds.—Baked for din-  
ner, baked for dinner, with cheese  
sauce.

Rice, 4 Pounds.—One-fourth substi-  
tute in wheat bread, one-third substi-  
tute in corn bread, boiled for dinner, (a  
bread cut), as a breakfast food, to  
thicken soups, rice pudding instead of  
cake or pie, rice batter cakes.

Several grocers have stated that  
their customers who strictly observe  
the 11 wheatless meals each week find  
it necessary to buy substitutes in ad-  
dition to those ordered under the 50-  
50 plan.

## CONSTIPATION And Sour Stomach Caused This Lady Much Suffering. Black- Draught Relieved.

Meadorville, Ky.—Mrs. Pearl Pat-  
rick, of this place, writes: "I was  
very constipated. I had sour stomach  
and was so uncomfortable. I went to  
the doctor. He gave me some pills.  
They weakened me and seemed to  
tear up my digestion. They would  
gripe me and afterwards it seemed  
I was more constipated than before.  
I heard of Black-Draught and de-  
cided to try it. I found it just what I  
needed. It was an easy laxative, and  
not bad to swallow. My digestion soon  
improved. I got well of the sour stom-  
ach, my bowels soon seemed normal,  
no more griping, and I would take a  
dose now and then, and was in good  
shape."

I cannot say too much for Black-  
Draught for it is the finest laxative  
one can use."  
Thedford's Black-Draught has for  
many years been found of great value  
in the treatment of stomach, liver and  
bowel troubles. Easy to take, gentle  
and reliable in its action, leaving no  
bad after-effects, it has won the praise  
of thousands of people who have used  
it. NC111

## Society

THE MISSES ASHBY  
HONOR MISS NEWLIN

Friday evening Miss Maude and  
Miss Anna K. Ashby entertained at  
the home of Mrs. W. E. Moore in  
honor of their friend, Miss Winnifred  
Newlin, whose engagement and ap-  
proaching wedding was announced  
last week.

The party was delightfully enter-  
tained for a while with musical se-  
lections by Miss Newlin, and Miss  
Kreider of Kansas City who is here  
visiting her sister Mrs. C. V. Gowing.  
Miss Newlin's playing is always a  
source of very great pleasure to her  
friends, but her selections for this  
occasion were exceptionally pleasing.  
Miss Kreider charmed her hearers  
with her whistling.

After being entertained for an  
hour with music and games the  
guests were invited into the dining  
room where a dainty and delicious  
three course supper was served. Pre-  
tily place cards marked the place of  
each guest except the one for the  
bride-to-be which was made distinct  
by a large white ribbon bow attached  
to the back of the chair.

Those who enjoyed the hospitality  
of the Misses Ashby on this occasion  
were Misses Newlin, Kreider, Brown,  
French, Gay, Patton, Gray and Mc-  
dames Moore, Rasbury, Maxey and  
Gowing.

Johnson-Dorsey.  
Mr. Charles Johnson and Miss  
Pearl Dorsey were married last Sun-  
day afternoon at the Christian par-  
sonage, Rev. C. B. James, officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will be at  
home in Ada for a short time, and  
then Mr. Johnson will report for ser-  
vice in the army. The young people  
have the best wishes of a host of  
friends for their happiness and suc-  
cess.

**Jones Chapel.**  
Hurray! for Jones Chapel. We be-  
lieve we are the first school district  
who has to her credit a one hun-  
dred dollar "Baby Bond" and four  
thrift stamps on another hundred  
dollar bond. We intend to average a  
bond every year until the end of the  
war.

Still continues to average a rain  
for our community every